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## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS **TYLER DIVISION**

ADVANCEME, INC. § § Plaintiff, CIVIL ACTION NO. 6:06-CV-082 LED v. AMERIMERCHANT LLC and FIRST FUNDS LLC Defendants.

## NOTICE OF APPEARANCE OF ADDITIONAL COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANTS AMERIMERCHANT LLC AND FIRST FUNDS LLC

Defendants AmeriMerchant LLC and First Funds LLC file this Notice of Appearance of Additional Counsel, and hereby notify the Court that Avelyn M. Ross, of the law firm Vinson & Elkins LLP, 2801 Via Fortuna, Suite 100, Austin, Texas 78746, is appearing as additional counsel for AmeriMerchant LLC and First Funds LLC in the above-referenced matter. All pleadings, discovery, correspondence and other material should be served upon counsel at the address referenced above.

Respectfully submitted

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that all counsel of record who have consented to electronic service are being served a copy of this document via the Court's CM/ECF system per Local Rule CV-5(a)(3) on this the 10th day of August, 2007. Any other counsel of record will be served by first class mail on this same date.

/s/ Avelyn M. Ross Avelyn M. Ross